

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA
INDIANAPOLIS DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
vs.)	CAUSE NO. 1:21-cr-00269-JPH-TAB
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DARREN FARRIS,)	- 01
Defendant.)	

REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

On September 19, 2025, the Court held a hearing on the Petition for Warrant or Summons for Offender Under Supervised Release filed on September 15, 2025. [Dkt. Nos. 124, 125.]. Defendant appeared in person with his appointed counsel, Dominic Martin. The government appeared by Tiffany Preston, Assistant United States Attorney. U. S. Parole and Probation appeared by Officer, Travis Buehrer.

The Court conducted the following procedures in accordance with Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.1(a)(1) and 18 U.S.C. § 3583:

1. The Court advised Defendant of his rights and provided him with a copy of the petition. Defendant previously waived his right to a preliminary hearing. [Dkt. No. 131.]
2. After being placed under oath, Defendant admitted Violation number 5, as orally amended at the hearing. [Dkt. Nos. 124, 125.] Defendant previously admitted to Violation number 4. [Dkt. No. 108.] Government previously withdrew the remaining Violations numbered 1, 2 and 3. [Dkt. No. 108.]
3. The allegation to which Defendant admitted, as fully set forth in the petition, is:

<u>Violation Number</u>	<u>Nature of Noncompliance</u>
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| 5 | "You will be placed in a residential Reentry center for a term of 2 years and comply with all rules of the facility. Following the completion of 12 months of RRC placement, you may be released to the community pending approval of the release plan by the probation officer.." |
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On September 12, 2025, Mr. Farris was ordered by the facility Director to be removed from the Volunteers of America Residential Reentry Center due to misconduct.

4. The parties stipulated that:
- (a) The highest grade of violation is a Grade C violation.
 - (b) Defendant's criminal history category is VI.
 - (c) The advisory range of imprisonment applicable upon revocation of supervised release, therefore, is 8 to 14 months' imprisonment.

5. The parties jointly recommended a sentence of one year imprisonment with ten years of supervised release to follow. Defendant requested placement at FMC Lexington, Kentucky.

The Magistrate Judge, having considered the relevant factors in 18 U.S.C. § 3553(a), *see* 18 U.S.C. § 3583(e), and as more fully set forth on the record, finds that the Defendant violated the condition in the petition, that his supervised release should be revoked, and that he should be sentenced to the custody of the Attorney General or her designee for a period of one year imprisonment with ten years of supervised release to follow. The Magistrate Judge makes a recommendation of placement at FMC Lexington, Kentucky.

In addition to the mandatory conditions of supervision, the following conditions of supervised release will be imposed:

1. You shall report to the probation office in the federal judicial district to which you are released within 72 hours of release from the custody of the Bureau of Prisons.
2. You shall report to the probation officer in a manner and frequency directed by the court or probation officer.
3. You shall permit a probation officer to visit you at a reasonable time at home or another place where the officer may legitimately enter by right or consent, and shall permit confiscation of any contraband observed in plain view of the probation officer.
4. You shall not knowingly leave the federal judicial district where you are being supervised without the permission of the supervising court/probation officer.
5. You shall answer truthfully the inquiries by the probation officer, subject to your 5th Amendment privilege.
6. You shall not meet, communicate, or otherwise interact with a person you know to be engaged, or planning to be engaged, in criminal activity. You shall report any contact with persons you know to be convicted felons to your probation officer within 72 hours of the contact.
7. You shall reside at a location approved by the probation officer and shall notify the probation officer at least 72 hours prior to any planned change in place or circumstances of residence or employment (including, but not limited to, changes in who lives there, job positions, job responsibilities). When prior notification is not possible, you shall notify the probation officer within 72 hours of the change.
8. You shall not own, possess, or have access to a firearm, ammunition, destructive device or dangerous weapon.
9. You shall notify the probation officer within 72 hours of being arrested, charged, or questioned by a law enforcement officer.
10. You shall maintain lawful full time employment, unless excused by the probation officer for schooling, vocational training, or other reasons that prevent lawful employment.
11. As directed by the probation officer, you shall notify third parties who may be impacted by the nature of the conduct underlying your current or prior offense(s) of conviction and/or shall permit the probation officer to make such notifications and/or confirm your compliance with this requirement.
12. You shall make a good faith effort to follow instructions of the probation officer necessary to ensure compliance with the conditions of supervision. JUSTIFICATION: Conditions 1 - 12 are administrative.

13. You shall not use or possess any controlled substances prohibited by applicable state or federal law, unless authorized to do so by a valid prescription from a licensed medical practitioner. You shall follow the prescription instructions regarding frequency and dosage.
14. You shall not knowingly purchase, possess, distribute, administer, or otherwise use any psychoactive substances (e.g., synthetic marijuana, bath salts, Spice, glue, etc.) that impair a person's physical or mental functioning, whether or not intended for human consumption.
15. You shall submit to substance abuse testing to determine if you have used a prohibited substance or to determine compliance with substance abuse treatment. Testing may include no more than 8 drug tests per month. You shall not attempt to obstruct or tamper with the testing methods.
16. You shall not use or possess alcohol. JUSTIFICATION: Conditions 13 - 16 are requested to address the offender's substance abuse history.
17. You shall submit to the search by the probation officer of your person, vehicle, office/business, residence, and property, including any computer systems and hardware or software systems, electronic devices, telephones, and Internet-enabled devices, including the data contained in any such items, whenever the probation officer has a reasonable suspicion that a violation of a condition of supervision or other unlawful conduct may have occurred or be underway involving you and that the area(s) to be searched may contain evidence of such violation or conduct. Other law enforcement may assist as necessary. You shall submit to the seizure of contraband found by the probation officer. You shall warn other occupants these locations may be subject to searches. JUSTIFICATION: Condition 17 is requested to aid in community safety and enforcement of supervision conditions.
18. You shall submit to a psychosexual evaluation to determine the appropriateness of treatment for sexual disorders. If treatment is recommended, you must participate in a program of treatment for sexual disorders, including periodic polygraph examinations, as directed by the probation officer. The treatment provider should determine the type and timing of such polygraph examinations. The court authorizes the release of the resentencing report and available psychological evaluations to the treatment provider, as approved by the probation officer.
19. You shall not have unsupervised meetings, activities, or visits, or intentional communications with any minor unless they have been disclosed to the probation officer and approved by the court. You shall not have supervised meetings, activities, visits, or intentional communications with any minor unless they have been approved by the probation officer. Before you may request approval for such meetings, activities, visits, or intentional communications (unsupervised or supervised), you must notify the person(s) having custody of any such minor(s) about the conviction in this case and the fact that you are under supervision JUSTIFICATION: Conditions 18-19: are requested to aid in

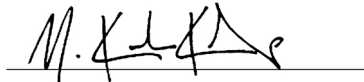
community protection and to address the offender's sexual deviance displayed during supervised release, as well as his past criminal history relating to sex offenses

Defendant is to be taken into custody immediately pending the District Judge's action on this Report and Recommendation.

The parties are hereby notified that the District Judge may reconsider any matter assigned to a Magistrate Judge.

The parties waived the fourteen-day period to object to the Report and Recommendation.

Date: 9/22/2025

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Klump', is written over a horizontal line.

M. Kendra Klump
United States Magistrate Judge
Southern District of Indiana

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